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1. Artillery positions are on the west side of the Klastaja Islands in Rokopahta, Pkiaaaiemi and Klupuniemi.
2. On the west side of Pummanginniemi there is also antiaircraft artillery. On the north side of Liinahamari in Nurmaensaeti is a radar station. The machine rooms and the living rooms are constructed in the rocks. The whole station is constructed in a way which makes it very difficult to discover it either from the air or from the sea. On the east side of Pkiaaaiemi at Tshuotatuunturi is a radar station.
3. A station for guided missiles is at Palotunturi, on the north side of the road from Liinahamari to Salmijaervi. (It is not quite clear if this place is only for the stockpiling of missiles or also for launching). At Palotunturi, south and east of it, rooms for stores and living quarters are constructed in the rocks. The areas around the radar stations as well as around the rocket station are strongly guarded.
4. At Petsamo is the 161st Division, recently arrived. The division partly consists of people from the former division. Reorganization and movements have recently taken place in this area and the division has not yet reached its final form. It will be stronger than the former division and will be set up as a full wartime division.
5. In the city of Kola (Kuola) is the headquarters and staff for the 129th Division, and Murmansk is the headquarters for the 141st. These divisions, together with the 161st Division, belong to the "Arctic Army Corps" with headquarters in Murmansk.
6. On the east side of Kolafjord, at Vaenga Airfield, is based an air force regiment consisting of several different types of aircraft. There are 22 to 28 jets and 6 to 8 reconnaissance aircraft (long range) belonging to this regiment.

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7. The school for submarine crews is at Saidagube Submarine Base on the west side of the Kolafjord. In Saidagube are several covered submarine bunkers and big submarines have been sighted here. New quays are under construction. Several artillery positions are guarding the entrance to Saidagube and a patrolship is always on station.

8. At the submarine base at Poljarnoje the so-called active submarines are stationed; the submarines which are patrolling the Arctic Ocean. The Saidagube base is used for training purposes and for overhauling.

9. On the Toros Islands, on the west side of the Kolafjord are strong coast artillery positions and tanks for fuel constructed in the rocks.

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